

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-20 (canceled).

21. (new) An apparatus for receiving and paying paper moneys, comprising:

a stacking device for stacking the paper moneys therein;

a paper money size detector to detect sizes of the paper moneys to be stacked in the stacking device;

a travel regulating member to regulate travels of the paper moneys to be stacked in the stacking device; and

a controller to control the travel regulating member;

wherein after the travel regulating member receives and holds thereon only the paper moneys of the same size detected by the paper money size detector, the travel regulating member is controlled by the controller to be rotated to move the received and held paper moneys to be stacked into the stacking device.

22. (new) The apparatus according to claim 21, wherein the controller detects an amount of the paper moneys received and held by the travel regulating member to control the travel regulating member so that the travel regulating member moves the received and held paper moneys to be stacked into the stacking device.

23. (new) The apparatus according to claim 21, wherein the travel regulating member comprises a single stacked-money supporting arm.

24. (new) The apparatus according to claim 21, wherein the travel regulating member comprises not more than two stacked-money supporting arms.

25. (new) An apparatus for receiving and paying paper moneys, comprising:

    a stacking device for stacking the paper moneys therein,

    a paper money size detector to detect sizes of the paper moneys to be stacked in the stacking device,

    a travel regulating member to regulate travels of the paper moneys to be stacked in the stacking device, the travel regulating member adapted to hold a plurality of sheets of the paper moneys in a stack at a same time, and

    a controller to control the travel regulating member,

    wherein after the travel regulating member receives and holds thereon the plurality of sheets of the paper moneys of the same size detected by the paper money size detector, the travel regulating member is controlled by the controller to be rotated to move the received and held plurality of sheets of the paper moneys to be stacked into the stacking device.

26. (new) The apparatus according to claim 25, wherein the travel regulating member comprises a single stacked-money supporting arm.

27. (new) The apparatus according to claim 25, further comprising a stacked-money volume detecting member to detect the volume of stacked money stacked adjacent the travel regulating member.